

Early Action Compact Milestone - June 2003 - Progress Report
Sumter County

1. Document progress in developing stakeholder process, including, for example, roles and responsibilities of various stakeholder groups, list of stakeholders, brief summary of stakeholder meetings, stakeholder involvement in development of initial list of control measures, etc.

Check all of the following statements that apply to your county.

1.	x	Attached is a list of the stakeholders.
2.	X	On January 27, 2003, John Duffie, Sumter County attended a meeting with other Santee-Lynches COG counties, COG staff and DHEC officials to begin working on the early action process.
3.	X	A stakeholder meeting(s) was held on April 17, 2003.
4.	X	A stakeholder meeting(s) was held on May 14, 2003.
4.		A stakeholder meeting is planned for June 26, 2003.
5.	X	DHEC representative Ronnie Driggers attended both stakeholder meetings.
6.	X	DHEC representatives were consulted regarding the stakeholder process.
7.	X	The stakeholders were consulted regarding the emission reduction strategies under consideration
8	x	Industry, Education, Planning, and Government subcommittees made control measures presentations at the May 14 stakeholders meeting.
9.	x	Sumter county EAC representatives attended DHEC meetings on Feb. 26, 2003 and May 29, 2003.

2. Report progress on evaluating and selecting emission reduction measures for the local control strategy.

See May 28, 2003 submittal *List of Emission Reduction Strategies Under Consideration*.

3. Describe public outreach activities (press coverage, public presentations, websites, etc.)

Check all of the following statements that apply to your county.

1.	x	The media and the public have been invited to attend stakeholder meetings by emails directed to the local events section of the county newspaper. The Ozone coordinator made a personal call to the newsroom to invite the governmental affairs reporter to the Sumter EAC meeting.
2.	x	The Ozone coordinator has provided information to <i>The Item</i> newspaper for an article on local EAC efforts.
3.	x	Meetings of the Early Action Compact were open to the public by notification to the press and postings on county council bulletin board.
4.	x	The Ozone coordinator has met with Sierra Club representatives concerning a public awareness/speaker program.
5.	x	The Ozone coordinator has planned meetings with both local school districts to develop ozone emission reduction lesson plans.

Refer to the June 2003 Progress Report submitted by SCDHEC for statewide activities.

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List of Stakeholders

Bill Noonan, County Administrator
Sumter, SC

Amanda McNulty, Chair
Clemson Extension, Sumter, SC

John Duffie, County Engineer,
Sumter, SC

Earl Morrison, Air Quality Manger
Shaw Air Force Base

Eddie Newman, Director
Sumter County Public Works

Karen Hyatt, Recycling Coordinator
Sumter County

Charlie Holmes, Arborculturist
City of Sumter

Rick Farmer, Sumter County Dev. Board
Sumter, SC

Bill Hoge, Director
Sumter City/County Planning Commission

Ronnie Driggers, District Air Quality Mgr.
DHEC, Sumter, SC

Reginald Simmons, SUATS
Sumter, SC

Larry Kirven, Maintenance Supervisor
School District 2, Sumter, SC

Edward Sanders, Resident Maintenance Eng.
Sumter, SC

Louis Jackson, District Conservationist
Sumter, SC

Jim Kepner, Project Manager
Sumter County Dev. Board

Bill Rozier, City Engineer
Sumter, SC

4. Provide update on modeling/technical planning activities.
These activities are the responsibility of the state. Refer to the June 2003 Progress Report submitted by the South Carolina Department of Health and Environmental Control, Bureau of Air Quality.